THE HON'BLE SRI JUSTICE C.V. RAMULU

Monday, 16th October, 2006

W.P.No.23093 of 2002

Between:

T. Nageswar Rao … Petitioner

and

Joint Collector, Medak district
at Sangareddy & others … Respondents

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ORAL ORDER:

This Writ Petition is filed seeking a Mandamus declaring the action of the 3rd respondent in seizing 72.76 quintals of rice under the Panchanama dated 11-11-2002 as arbitrary and illegal.

At the time of admission of Writ Petition, an interim order was passed on 19-11-2002 directing the respondents to release the seized stocks to the petitioner on furnishing third party security for the value of the stocks. Learned counsel for the petitioner states that pursuant to the interim orders, the seized stocks have been released to the petitioner.

In view of the above, nothing much survives for adjudication in the Writ Petition. However, the respondents are directed to complete the enquiry, if any, contemplated pursuant to the Panchanama dated 11-11-2002 within a period of four weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order, if not already completed.

With the above direction, the Writ Petition is disposed of. No order as to costs.

16-10-2006

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